

DEC 17 2003

OFFICIAL

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Date: December 17, 2003

STEPHEN F. GASS, J. DAVID FULMER,
JOEL F. JENSEN, BENJAMIN B. SCHRAMM
and ROBERT L. CHAMBERLAIN

Serial No. : 09/929,237

Group Art Unit 3724

Filed : August 13, 2001

For : LOGIC CONTROL FOR FAST-ACTING SAFETY SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

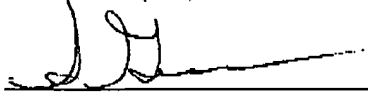
Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND/OR ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed December 2, 2003, applicant hereby elects what the Examiner identified as Group I-claims 2, 3 and 11. Applicant notes the examiner said claims 1, 20, 21, 23 and 28 would be examined with group I. Please telephone the undersigned with any questions.

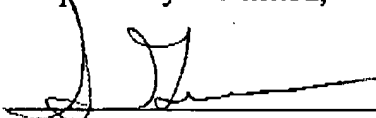
CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Attention: Examiner Boyer D. Ashley, Group Art Unit 3724, to facsimile number: (703) 872-9306 on Dec. 17, 2003.



Stephen F. Gass

Respectfully submitted,



Stephen F. Gass
Registration No. 38,462
SD3, LLC
22409 S.W. Newland Road
Wilsonville, Oregon 97070
Telephone: (503) 638-6201
Facsimile: (503) 638-8601
Customer No. 27630